

# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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Title

DEVICE FOR THE PRECISION ROTATION OF SAMPLES



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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
3. ☒ Specification Total pages [ 27 ]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross references to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings
  - Detailed Description
  - Claims
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets) [ 9 ]
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration (Total Pages) [ 2 ]
  - a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application  
(37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)  
**[Note Box 5 below]**
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application,
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet.

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
  - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - ii. ☐ paper
  - c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  
(when there is an assignee)
  - ☐ Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement /PTO 1449
  - ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s).
16. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
17. ☐ Other:

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below or in an application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76::

☐ Continuation ☒ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 09/868,646

Prior application information: Examiner Paul M. Gurzo Group/Art Unit 2881

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**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. FILING FEE**

| Fee Code | Fee \$ | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|----------|--------|------------------------|----------|
| 1001     | 750    | Utility filing fee     | [750.00] |
| 1002     | 330    | Design Filing Fee      | [ ]      |
| 1003     | 520    | Plant Filing Fee       | [ ]      |
| 1004     | 750    | Reissue Filing Fee     | [ ]      |
| 1005     | 160    | Provisional Filing Fee | [ ]      |

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**2. CLAIMS**

|                           | Extra Claims | Fee          | Fee          |
|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Paid                      |              |              |              |
| Total Claims              | [20]         | - 20** = [0] | x \$18 = [ ] |
| Independent Claims        | [2]          | - 3** = [0]  | x 84 = [ ]   |
| Multiple Dependent Claims |              | + 280 = [ ]  |              |

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**FEE CALCULATION (continued)**

**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

| Fee Code | Fee Paid | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|----------|----------|--|----------|
| 1051     | 130      | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  | [ ]      |
| 1052     | 50       | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     | [ ]      |
| 1053     | 130      | Non-English specification  | [ ]      |
| 1812     | 2,520    | For filing a request for reexamination                                     | [ ]      |
| 1804     | 920      | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     | [ ]      |
| 1804     | 1,840*   | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        | [ ]      |
| 1251     | 110      | Extension for reply within first month                                     | [ ]      |
| 1252     | 410      | Extension for reply within second month                                    | [ ]      |
| 1253     | 930      | Extension for reply within third month                                     | [ ]      |
| 1254     | 1,450    | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    | [ ]      |
| 1255     | 1,970    | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     | [ ]      |
| 1401     | 320      | Notice of Appeal   | [ ]      |
| 1402     | 320      | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     | [ ]      |
| 1403     | 280      | Request for Oral Hearing   | [ ]      |
| 1451     | 1,510    | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              | [ ]      |
| 1452     | 110      | Petition to revive -unavoidable  | [ ]      |
| 1453     | 1,300    | Petition to revive - unintentional   | [ ]      |
| 1501     | 1,300    | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   | [ ]      |
| 1502     | 470      | Design issue fee   | [ ]      |
| 1503     | 630      | Plant issue fee  | [ ]      |
| 1460     | 130      | Petitions to the Commissioner  | [ ]      |
| 1807     | 50       | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)  | [ ]      |
| 1806     | 180      | Submission of Information Disclosure Statement                             | [ ]      |
| 8021     | 40       | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | [ ]      |
| 1809     | 750      | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR .129(a))                 | [ ]      |
| 1810     | 750      | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))             | [ ]      |
| 1801     | 750      | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    | [ ]      |
| 1802     | 900      | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  | [ ]      |
| 1504     | 300      | Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication                | [ ]      |
| 1505     | 300      | Publication fee for republication  | [ ]      |
| 1455     | 200      | Filing application for patent term adjustment                              | [ ]      |
| 1456     | 400      | Request for reinstatement of term reduced                                  | [ ]      |
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